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1. REFTEL (B) STATED USG POSITION CONCERNING AIRLIFT THRO-

UGH NATO WHEN SIMILAR APPEAL FOR AIRLIFT ASSISTANCE BROACHED BY VATICAN THROUGH ITALIAN AMBASSADOR. USG STILL PREFERS TO- UNDERTAKE CONSIDERATION ANY AIRLIFT ACTIVITY ON A BI-LATERAL BASIS.

2. REGARDING NEW REQUEST FROM NIGER AMBASSADOR IN BELGIUM TO LUNS, BECAUSE MILK POWDER SUPPLIED BY EC, DEPARTMENT BELIEVES EC MEMBERS ARE LOGICAL ONES TO RESPOND TO AIRLIFT REQUEST FROM GON. FYI. IN LATE SPRING 1973, EC COMMISSION MADE ALLOCATION OF POWDERED MILK TO SAHEL COUNTRIES. BECAUSE OF URGENT NEED FOR MILK IN SAHEL, EC MEMBER NATION AIR FORCES FLEW SOME DIRECT WHILE REMAINDER WENT BY SEA. NIGER WAS ONE OF COUNTRIES INITIALLY SUPPLIED BY AIR LIFT WHILE AWAITING ARRIVAL SEA SHIPMENT. END FYI. DECONTROL 12/31/74. CASEY

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